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AMEMBASSY PRETORIA  
INFO USMISSION USUN NEW YORK

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 180432

E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: PINT, SF (TRANSKEI)

SUBJECT: TRANSKEI REPRESENTATIVE IN WASHINGTON

REF: 179454

1. MISSIONS IN SOUTH AFRICA SHOULD TAKE APPROPRIATE  
OCCASION TO LET IT BE KNOWN PUBLICLY THAT MASIMINI  
IS NOT IN THE UNITED STATES AS AN OFFICIAL OF THE  
GOVERNMENT OF TRANSKEI. AS THE U.S. DOES NOT  
RECOGNIZE TRANSKEI, MASIMINI IS SIMPLY A REGISTERED  
FOREIGN AGENT UNDER THE FOREIGN AGENTS REGISTRATION  
ACT OF 1938 AND ENJOYS NO REPEAT NO OFFICIAL  
STANDING.

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2. IF ASKED HOW MASIMINI IS REGISTERED, MISSIONS  
SHOULD STATE THAT HE IS REGISTERED AS AN EMPLOYEE  
OF A U.S. FIRM ACTING AS AGENT FOR THE TRANSKEI,  
BUT THAT DESIGNATION NEITHER IMPLIES NOR  
CONSTITUTES ANY FORM OF RECOGNITION OF THE SO-CALLED  
TRANSKEI BY THE UNITED STATES.

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## Message Attributes

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